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COLLECTING AN ELECTRONIC  
SIGNATURE FOR AN ELECTRONIC  
RECORD STORED IN A DATABASE

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.